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**CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR PRESENTS.** LAQUER and HAND PAINTED PICTURES, PORCELAIN TEA-SETS, SCREENS, SILK DRESSING GOWNS, CARPETS, &c., &c. FUJIYAMA & CO., 5, D'Almeida Street, Hongkong, 30th November, 1899. 2590

**TWO BATTLES.** When a man goes to war, he takes his life in his hands, and he knows it! He has offered his life to his country, and he is willing to give it. He knows that if he is killed in battle, his country will provide for his loved ones.

In the battle of life, a man's life is pledged in a different way. He assumes obligations that he must try to fulfill. If he dies, there is no one to provide for his family, unless he has paid a life insurance company to protect and provide for them. An Endowment policy in the Equitable Society will also give him a pension in his old age, if he lives.

**EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF THE UNITED STATES.** Branch Office: No. 9, Praya, Hongkong. Hongkong, 30th November, 1899. 2592

**THEATRE ROYAL CITY HALL.** SATURDAY EVENING, 2nd December, 1899.

**A GRAND BOXING TOURNAMENT** will take place at 9 P.M. SHARP.

**FULL SPRING DANCE OF THE WELSH FUSILIERS.** Several interesting bouts.

**2 ROUND HEAVY WEIGHT CONTEST.** B. HARRIS vs. D. H. HUGHES. Coloured Heavy Champion Heavy Weight of the West-Indies.

**POPULAR PRICES.** Full Particulars See Bill. Hongkong, 30th November, 1899. 2593

**THEATRE ROYAL CITY HALL.** MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, and SATURDAY, the 4th, 6th, 7th, and 8th, December. FIRST APPEARANCE IN HONGKONG OF MADAME KONOVAH.

**KONOVAH THE MODERN WITCH AND MISTRESS OF MYSTERIES AND COMPANY OF PIET CLASS ARTISTS.** SPECIAL Offering Opening Program: 1st. Century Mind-Reading. 2nd. Second Sight up-to-date. 3rd. Blinded Lightning Calculations. 4th. Spiritistic Marvels. 5th. Clairvoyance. 6th. Magic. Doors Open 8.30 p.m. Commence 9 p.m.

**Prices:** Dress Circle and Stalls \$2.00, Pk. \$1.00. Balcony and Boxes, Pk. \$0.50 each. Booking Office: ROBINSON PATENT, 40th November, 1899. 2598

**DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.** FOR SWATOW. THE Company's Steamship "FORMOSA," Captain Douglas, will be despatched for the above port on SATURDAY, the 2nd December, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAURENCE & CO., General Managers. Hongkong, 29th November, 1899. 2596

**FOR SHANGHAI.** THE Steamship "LOONGMOON," Captain F. W. GOSWELL, will be despatched for the above port on SATURDAY, the 2nd December, at 4 p.m.

This steamer has superior accommodation for First and Second-Class Passengers. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSEN & CO., Hongkong, 29th November, 1899. 2597

**OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.** CONSIGNERS per Company's Steamer "ULYSSES" are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft and/or landed at the Godowns of the Underwriters, in both cases it will be at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 30th instant.

Optional cargo will be landed unless notice has been given to the contrary. Goods undelivered after the 7th December will be stored at risk of Consignees. All damaged Goods must be left in the Godowns where they will be examined at 11 a.m. on the 8th December. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agents. Hongkong, 29th November, 1899. 2598

**NOTICE OF FIRM.** NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned have SEVERED all their CONNECTIONS with the FIRM of MESSRS. MATHIAS & CO. trading in Hongkong, Amoy, and Foochow, and that the said severance takes effect from the 30th September, 1899. Dated the 28th day of November, 1899.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agents. B. S. MATHIAS. MATHIAS & CO. (Limited). C. E. MATHIAS. Hongkong, 29th November, 1899. 2599

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## AUCTIONS

**PUBLIC AUCTION.** THE Undersigned have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, TO-DAY (THURSDAY), the 30th November, 1899, at 11 a.m., at Central Police Station, A LARGE QUANTITY OF SURPLUS STORES, ALSO: 363 MAUSER RIFLES, 100 MUZZLE LOADING MUSKETS, 100 REVOLVERS, BAYONETS, RIFLE and REVOLVER AMMUNITION, GUN-POWDER, COPPER, BRASS, LEAD, IRON, GAMBIA, RICE, RICKSHAS.

AND 38 Bells PATNA and 101 Cattle MALWA OPIUM.

Terms—As Usual.

**HUGHES & HOUGH,** Auctioneers. Hongkong, 28th November, 1899. 2593

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY, the 2nd December, 1899, at 2.30 p.m. at his Sales Room, Duddell Street, A QUANTITY OF FINELY-CARVED GAMBIA BLACK WOODWARE, COMPRISING: HALL TABLES and CHAIRS, CURIO STANDS, BOOKCASES, WRITING DESKS, MUSIC STANDS, COLOUT-TILES, BASINS, OVERMANTLES, SILVER TABLES, FLOWER STANDS, BRACKET, PICTURE FRAMES, LAMP STANDS, STOOLS, &c., &c.

On View from Friday, the 1st December. Catalogues will be issued.

Terms of Sale—As Customary.

**GEO. P. LAMBERT,** Auctioneer. Hongkong, 29th November, 1899. 2592

## DILIGENTIA LODGE OF INSTRUCTION.

A REGULAR MEETING of the above Lodge will be held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, TO-MORROW (FRIDAY), the 1st December, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. previously. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to attend.

Hongkong, 29th November, 1899. 2594

## REWARD.

LOST at Colombo in transhipment from the P. & O. Steamer to the Bengal, a tin box containing VALUABLES. The above Reward will be given for its recovery or a reward of 100 rupees for any information which may lead to it. Apply at the P. & O. Office. Shanghai, 18th November, 1899. 2595

## THE TRADE MARKS ORDINANCE.

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF TRADE MARKS.

NOTICE is hereby given that THE BADEN CLOTH COMPANY, of London, in England, have on the 24th June, 1899, applied for the registration in Hongkong, in the Register of TRADE MARKS, of the following TRADE MARKS: viz. A representation of a strip of water and land surrounding same, on the latter to the left of the picture, a chicken on its back and above, in the centre, a dragon-fly, the whole surrounded by a fancy pictorial border, and in the bottom left hand corner, a half moon, with the letter B, surrounded by a square.

In the name of the TRADE MARK COMPANY who claim to be the sole proprietors thereof. The TRADE MARK has been used by the Applicant in respect of the following goods respectively, in the following classes viz. 1. Horological instruments in Class 10. 2. A specimen of such TRADE MARK can be seen at the office of the Colonial Secretary of Hongkong, and of the Underwriter.

Dated the 30th day of September, 1899.

**DEACON & HASTINGS,** Solicitors for applicant. 2571

## FOR SALE.

RICE MILL in perfect working order, capable of turning out 5,000 piculs of milled White Rice and 9,000 piculs of Cargo Rice with 20 per cent. profit in 24 hours. Large Workhouses. Situated at Saigon. Address: D. B. Care of Office of this Paper. Hongkong, 24th October, 1899. 2581

## SAFES.

A VARIETY of the World-renowned MILDNERS' FIRE RESISTING SAFES for Sale.

**GEO. P. LAMBERT,** Duddell Street. Hongkong, 4th October, 1899. 2801 401

## PUBLIC COMPANIES

**A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.** NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

AN INTERIM DIVIDEND on account of the profits for the year ending 31st March 1900 at the Rate of Fifty Cents per Share (or Five per cent. on the Capital of the Company) will be payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, Hongkong, on and after the 25th instant, on the Warrants to be obtained from the undersigned. Local Shareholders are requested to apply at the Company's Office for their Warrants.

The DIVIDEND will also be payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, Shanghai, on presentation of Warrants there, on and after the same date.

The REGISTER of SHARES will be CLOSED from THURSDAY, the 21st instant, until FRIDAY, the 22nd instant, both days inclusive, during which period No Transfer of Shares can be Registered.

By Order, **A. H. MANCILL,** Secretary. Hongkong, 9th November, 1899. 2512

## THE CHINA BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.

(NEW COMPANY) (QUEEN'S BUILDINGS, HONGKONG.)

## NOTICE.

From Official Liquidator of the CHINA BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION.

UNDER the terms of a scheme of reconstruction sanctioned by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Hongkong on the 21st day of October, 1899, an Agreement of Reconstruction has been entered into by the Official Liquidator of the China Borneo Company, Limited, in Liquidation (hereinafter called the "Old Company") with a new company called the "New Company," the Registrar of Companies, Hongkong, where it is filed. The nominal capital of the New Company is \$150,000, divided into 7,500 Shares of Twenty Dollars each.

Each holder of a Share or Shares in the Old Company (on each of which \$55 has been credited as paid up) is entitled, on payment of \$5 per Share and delivering up the scrip for his Share or Shares in the Old Company, to a Share or Shares in the New Company, on which \$15 will be deemed to have been paid up in respect of the \$20 face value of such Share. The remaining \$5 to remain to be called up at such time, as the Consulting Committee may think fit.

Each holder of fully paid up Shares in the Old Company is entitled, on delivering up the scrip for his fully paid up Shares in the Old Company, to an equal number of fully paid up Shares in the New Company.

Written notice of dissent from the proposed scheme of reconstruction must be lodged with me at the above address within twenty-one days from the date of this Notice.

Application by Shareholders in the Old Company must be made within twenty-one days from the date of this notice.

Forms of application by shareholders in the Old Company can be obtained from me the undersigned.

**J. WHEBLEY,** Official Liquidator of the CHINA BORNEO CO., LD., in Liquidation. Hongkong, 9th November, 1899. 2581

## THE GREAT EASTERN AND CALDONIAN GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

RECONSTRUCTION. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

ALL SHAREHOLDERS in the Old Company must apply for Shares in the New Company on or before the 15th day of December, 1899.

Forms of Application can be obtained from the undersigned.

Dated the 2nd day of November, 1899.

**LUTGERS, DISTRICT AGENTS & CO.,** General Agents. 9, Praya Central, Hongkong. 2527

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TABRAGON CHOICE OLD WHISKY	Black	\$7.00
LIGHT TAWNY	Yellow	11.00
PINE FRUIT	Green	12.00
SPECIAL SELECTED SUPERIOR TAWNY	White	14.00
WHITE	Black	17.00
RICH OLD	White	18.00
ELEGANT OLD TAWNY	Green	21.00
SPECIAL OLD	Blue	23.00
BALE OLD WINE	Red	30.00
VERY OLD	Black	35.00

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